



General Assembly

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LCO No. 3459



Referred to Committee on ENERGY AND TECHNOLOGY

Introduced by:
(ET)

AN ACT CONCERNING CLARITY OF RETAIL ELECTRIC OFFERING TERMS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. Subdivision (3) of subsection (f) of section 16-245o of the
2 general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu
3 thereof (*Effective from passage*):

4 (3) No electric supplier, aggregator or agent of an electric supplier
5 or aggregator shall advertise or disclose the price of electricity to
6 mislead a reasonable person into believing that the electric generation
7 services portion of the bill will be the total bill amount for the delivery
8 of electricity to the customer's location. When advertising or disclosing
9 the price for electricity, the electric supplier, aggregator or agent of an
10 electric supplier or aggregator shall (A) also disclose the electric
11 distribution company's current charges, including the competitive
12 transition assessment and the systems benefits charge, for that
13 customer class, and (B) indicate, in a conspicuous part of any
14 advertisement or disclosure that includes an advertised price, the
15 expiration of the term of such advertised price using the same font size

16 and color as is used for the advertised price.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>from passage</i>	16-245o(f)(3)

Statement of Purpose:

To require retail electric suppliers to indicate, in any advertisement or disclosure that includes an advertised price, the length of term of the advertised price as prominently as the advertised price itself.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]